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SUBJECT: DISTURBANCES IN NABLUS

REF: JERUSALEM 874

1. RELIABLE SOURCE HAS GIVEN US ADDITIONAL DETAILS
ON JULY 1-3 DISTURBANCES IN NABLUS. DEMONSTRATIONS
BEGAN JULY 1 IN CONNECTION WITH GENERAL STRIKE
CALLED TO PROTEST PROJECTED IMPOSITION OF ADDITIONAL
TAXES TO COMPENSATE FOR INTRODUCTION OF VAT IN ISRAEL.
DEMONSTRATORS, LED BY YOUTHS, THEN BEGAN PROTESTING
SYRIA'S ACTIONS IN LEBANON AND FINALLY MANIFESTATION
BECAME ANTI-ISRAELI OCCUPATION.

2. ON JULY NABLUS MAYOR SHAKA SOUGHT TO ADDRESS
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YOUNG DEMONSTRATORS BUT WAS SHOUTED DOWN BY CRIES

OF "TRAITOR". TIRES WERE BURNED AT ENTRANCE TO
BALATA REFUGEE CAMP. IT WAS DURING THIS PHASE OF
DISTURBANCES, THAT 18-YEAR OLD YOUTH WAS SHOT AND
KILLED.

3. COMMENT: THIS REPORT CONFIRMS CONGEN'S
IMPRESSION THAT WEST BANK LEADERS, EVEN NEWLY
ELECTED MAYORS, HAVE LIMITED ABILITY TO INFLUENCE
RADICALIZED YOUTHS IN INFLAMED SITUATIONS.
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